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October 14, 2002
Via Overnight Delivery

Mr. David Waddell
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

Re: Application of OneStar Communications, LLC for a Certificate to Provide Facilities-Based Local Exchange Telecommunications Services

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed for filing are the original and thirteen (13) copies of the above-referenced application of OneStar Communications, LLC ("OneStar") for authority to provide facilities-based local telecommunications services in Tennessee. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$25.00 for the application filing fee.

The confidential proprietary financial statements of OneStar Communications, LLC are submitted under separate seal as part of this filing. Please handle in accordance with your established procedures for confidential material.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by returning, date-stamped, the extra copy of this cover letter in the self-addressed, stamped envelope enclosed for this purpose.

Any questions regarding this filing may be directed to Laura Collier at (812) 437-7791 or at lcollier@onestarld.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Carey Roesel
Consultant to OneStar Communications, LLC

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cc: Laura Collier - OneStar
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BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

In the matter of the Application of)
OneStar Communications, LLC)
for Authority to Provide)
Facilities-Based Competitive Local)
Exchange Telecommunications Services)

**APPLICATION FOR AMENDED AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE
FACILITIES-BASED LOCAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES**

Pursuant to applicable Tennessee Statutes and the Rules and Regulations of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority and Section 253 of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 ("Act"), OneStar Communications, LLC ("OneStar") respectfully requests that the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") grant to OneStar authority to provide facilities-based local exchange telecommunications services, including exchange access telecommunications services, within the State of Tennessee. OneStar is willing and able to comply with all applicable rules and regulations in Tennessee pertaining to the provision of facilities-based competing local exchange telecommunications services.

In support of its Application, OneStar submits the following:

1. The full name and address of the Applicant is:

OneStar Communications, LLC
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, Indiana 47715
Telephone: (812) 437-7790
Facsimile: (812) 437-7988

Questions regarding this application should be directed to:

Laura Collier
OneStar Communications, LLC
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, Indiana 47715
Telephone: (812) 437-7790
Facsimile: (812) 437-7988

1. Contact name and address at the Company is:

Ami M. Larrison, Director of Regulatory Affairs
OneStar Communications, LLC
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, Indiana 47715
Telephone: (812) 437-7790
Facsimile: (812) 437-7988

2. Names and addresses of all officers in Tennessee.

The names and addresses of the Applicant's principal corporate officers and other senior managers responsible for Tennessee operations are listed in Attachment A of this application. At least initially, none of OneStar's corporate officers will be located in Tennessee.

3. Corporate Information.

OneStar Communications, LLC, is an Indiana Corporation, originally organized on December 21, 1992, as Telstar Communications, Inc. The name was changed in February, 1996, to OneStar Long Distance, Inc. OneStar Long Distance, Inc., subsequently formed OneStar Communications, LLC. A copy of OneStar's Articles of Incorporation are provided in Attachment B, and a copy of OneStar's Certificate of Authority to Transact Business in the State of Tennessee is provided in Attachment C.

4. Repair and Maintenance Information.

OneStar understands the importance of effective customer service for local and long distance service consumers. OneStar has made arrangements for its customers to call the Company at its toll-free customer service number. The correct toll-free number will be printed on the customers' monthly billing statements. In addition, customers may contact the Company in writing at the headquarters address.

5. Status of OneStar in other states.

OneStar, or its affiliate, OneStar Long Distance, Inc., is authorized to provide long distance service in all states except AK. OneStar, or its affiliate, is authorized to provide local exchange services in AL, CA, CT, DE, FL, GA, IN, IA, KY, ME, MA, MI, MN, NE, NH, NJ, NY, OH, OR, PA, RI, TN, VT, VA, WA, WV and WI.

6. Financial, Managerial and Technical Qualifications.

OneStar possesses the managerial, technical and financial ability to provide the requested telecommunications service in the State of Tennessee as demonstrated below.

6.A. Financial Qualifications

In support of its financial qualifications, OneStar Communications, LLC, highlights the following information:

OneStar Communications, LLC ("OneStar") has sufficient financial capability to provide the requested telecommunication services in Tennessee, the financial capability to maintain these services, and the financial capability to meet its lease and ownership obligations. Attached are the following financial documents to support OneStar's financial capability:

1. Statement of Financial Capability
2. Financial Statements:
 - a) Statement of Operations Combined (12/31/01)
 - b) Balance Sheet (12/31/01)
 - c) Pro Forma Balance Sheet, Income Statement, and Statement of Cash Flow for the 12 months ending 12/31/02

6.A. Financial Qualifications (continued)

Provide the cost of the proposed network, switches, or unbundled network elements.

The Company will utilize the ILEC's Unbundled Network Elements Platform (UNE-P). The UNE-P costs are a matter of public record in TN.

Provide details of the funding for the proposed network, equipment purchases, or payment for UNEs such as, a) internally generated funds (cash, marketable securities); (b) letters of credit; (c) loan commitments; (d) vendor credit; and (e) provide a three (3) year capital budget outlining the specific equipment to be deployed, where it will be deployed, and its cost. This should cover Tennessee operations, as well as the parent company (or whoever is responsible for financing the Tennessee operation). Also provide the sources of capital.

See attached Statement of Financial Capability.

Indicate whether financial statements reflect any amounts related to reciprocal compensation for terminating ISP traffic and quantify these amounts, if any.

As a UNE-P based Company, the Company will not receive reciprocal compensation for terminating ISP traffic.

6.B. Managerial Qualifications

As shown in Attachment E to this Application, OneStar has the managerial expertise to successfully operate a telecommunications enterprise in Tennessee. OneStar's key executives have extensive backgrounds in the telecommunications industry and possess the managerial qualifications required to provide local and long distance service.

6.C. Technical Qualifications

OneStar's services will satisfy the minimum standards established by the TRA. The Company presently files and maintains tariffs in the manner and form required of competitive local exchange and long distance telecommunications companies with which OneStar seeks to compete. OneStar will meet the minimum basic standards, including quality of service and billing standards required of all LECs regulated by the TRA. OneStar will comply with TRA rules, including Chapter 1220-4-8.

Location and deployment of Network

By utilizing the ILEC's UNE-P, the Company's network will mirror the ILEC's network.

Name of Engineers or Engineering Firm overseeing technical aspects of Network.

The Company will utilize the expertise of the ILEC, as well as its own in-house subject matter experts.

6.C. Technical Qualifications *continued*

Will Tennessee Customers be required to purchase CPE which cannot be used with ILEC systems should the customer decide to go back to the ILEC?

The Company will initially utilize the ILEC's UNE-P, therefore all CPE compatible with the Company's services will also be compatible with the ILEC's services.

List type of Facilities to be built in Tennessee.

The Company will utilize the ILEC's UNE-P. Where economically prudent, Applicant may also install its own facilities and equipment as warranted by demand. Applicant, however, has no immediate plan for constructing facilities in the State of Tennessee.

7. Proposed Service Area.

The applicant proposes to initially offer its services throughout the State of Tennessee in areas currently served by BellSouth. The Company may later expand into the territories served by Sprint (local division).

8. Types of Local Exchange Service to be provided.

OneStar expects to offer a broad variety of facilities-based local exchange services primarily to business customers in Tennessee. OneStar's initial line of UNE-P-based local services will be comparable to that currently offered by the Company under its local resale approach. Initially, OneStar plans to offer basic access line service, PBX and DID Services, Optional Calling Features, Directory Assistance, Directory Services, and Operator Services, as well as all services required under Chapter 1220-4-8-.04 (3)(b) and (c).

10. Customer Deposits

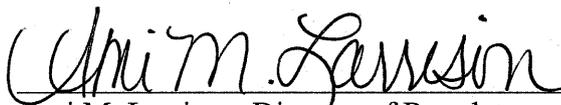
OneStar will require deposits under the conditions listed in the local tariff.

11. Statement of Compliance.

OneStar agrees to abide by all applicable statutes and all applicable orders, rules and regulations entered and adopted by the Tennessee Regulatory Authority.

Respectfully submitted this 14th day of October, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,
OneStar Communications, LLC



Ami M. Larrison, Director of Regulatory Affairs
OneStar Communications, LLC
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, Indiana 47715
Telephone: (812) 437-7790
Facsimile: (812) 437-7988

Dated:

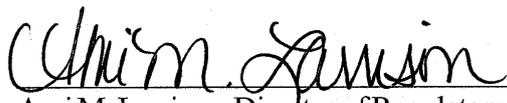
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF Vanderburgh

Ami M. Larrison, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That she is the Director of Regulatory Affairs for OneStar Communications, LLC, the applicant in the above proceeding, that she has read the foregoing application, and knows the contents thereof; and that she is authorized by OneStar Communications, LLC, to verify that the contents of the applications are true.



Ami M. Larrison, Director of Regulatory Affairs
OneStar Communications, LLC
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, Indiana 47715
Telephone: (812) 437-7790
Facsimile: (812) 437-7988



Subscribed and sworn to before me this
9th day of October, 2002

Shuttle Reed
Notary Public
State of Indiana

My commission expires: 2-22-08

Table of Attachments

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OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment A

Names and Addresses of
OneStar Officers

OneStar Communications, LLC

OFFICERS/DIRECTORS

The following individuals serve as officers and directors of OneStar and may be reached through the Company's corporate office at 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard, Evansville, Indiana 47715.

OFFICERS

Alan J. Powers
CEO/Secretary
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

Michael W. Hanus
President
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

Mark W. Powers
Vice President/Treasurer
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

DIRECTORS

Alan J. Powers
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

Michael W. Hanus
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

Mark W. Powers
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

R. Patrick Kollker
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

Chester Higdon
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

Norma F. Higdon
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

James R. Miller
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

Ruth Ann Powers
7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard
Evansville, IN 47715

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment B

Certificate of Incorporation

APPROVED
AND
FILED

IND. SECRETARY OF STATE

ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION**OF****ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC**

The undersigned, desiring to form a Limited Liability Company (hereinafter referred to as "Company") pursuant to the provisions I.C. 23-18, execute the following Articles of Organization.

**ARTICLE I
NAME**

The name of the Company is **ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC**.

**ARTICLE II
REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT**

- Section 1. **Registered Office.** The street address of the registered office of the Company in Indiana is 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard, Evansville, Indiana 47715.
- Section 2. **Registered Agent.** The name of the Company's registered agent at the Company's registered office is Alan J. Powers.

**ARTICLE III
DURATION OF COMPANY**

The duration of the limited liability company is perpetual or until dissolved in accordance with the Indiana Business Flexibility Act.

**ARTICLE IV
MANAGEMENT**

The business and affairs of the Company shall be managed in accordance with the following provisions:

- Section 1. **Management Committee.** The general management of the business and affairs of the Company is vested in and shall be conducted by a Management Committee in

accordance with the procedures and requirements set forth in the Company's written Operating Agreement.

Section 2. **Officers.** The Management Committee of the Company shall elect Officers of the Company. The authority of the Management Committee shall be delegated to the Officers to the extent provided in the Company's Operating Agreement.

**ARTICLE V
EFFECTIVE DATE**

These Articles of Organization shall be effective as of the date the same are filed with the Secretary of State of Indiana.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being the person designated to execute and file these Articles of Organization, verifies, subject to the penalties of perjury, that the statements contained herein are true.

DATED this 23rd day of February, 2001.



TERRY G. FARMER

THIS INSTRUMENT WAS PREPARED BY LAURA A. SCOTT
ATTORNEY AT LAW

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment C

Certificate of Authority to Transact Business in the State of Tennessee

Secretary of State
Division of Business Services
312 Eighth Avenue North
6th Floor, William R. Snodgrass Tower
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

DATE: 04/05/01
REQUEST NUMBER: 4171 2775
TELEPHONE CONTACT: (615) 741-2286
FILE DATE/TIME: 04/05/01 1244
EFFECTIVE DATE/TIME: 04/05/01 1244
CONTROL NUMBER: 0406335

TO:
ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC
REG DEPT
7100 EAGLE CREST BLV
EVANSVILLE, TN 47715

APR 12 2001

RE:
ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC
APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY -
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

WELCOME TO THE STATE OF TENNESSEE. THE ATTACHED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY HAS BEEN FILED WITH AN EFFECTIVE DATE AS INDICATED ABOVE.

A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ANNUAL REPORT MUST BE FILED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE ON OR BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF THE FOURTH MONTH FOLLOWING THE CLOSE OF THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY'S FISCAL YEAR. ONCE THE FISCAL YEAR HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED, PLEASE PROVIDE THIS OFFICE WITH WRITTEN NOTIFICATION. THIS OFFICE WILL MAIL THE REPORT DURING THE LAST MONTH OF SAID FISCAL YEAR TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AT THE ADDRESS OF ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICE OR TO A MAILING ADDRESS PROVIDED TO THIS OFFICE IN WRITING. FAILURE TO FILE THIS REPORT OR TO MAINTAIN A REGISTERED AGENT AND OFFICE WILL SUBJECT THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO ADMINISTRATIVE REVOCATION OF ITS CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY.

WHEN CORRESPONDING WITH THIS OFFICE OR SUBMITTING DOCUMENTS FOR FILING, PLEASE REFER TO THE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY CONTROL NUMBER GIVEN ABOVE.

FOR: APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY -
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

ON DATE: 04/06/01

FROM:
ONESTAR LONG DISTANCE INC
1110 PROFESSIONAL BL
EVANSVILLE, IN 47714-0000

RECEIVED: FEES \$300.00 \$0.00
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RILEY C. DARNELL
SECRETARY OF STATE

State of Tennessee



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Nashville, TN 37243

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APPLICATION FOR
CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

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To the Secretary of State of the State of Tennessee:

Pursuant to the provisions of § 48-246-301 of the Tennessee Limited Liability Company Act, the undersigned hereby applies for a certificate of authority to transact business in the State of Tennessee, and for that purpose sets forth:

1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is: OneStar Communications, LLC

If different, the name under which the certificate of authority is to be obtained is: _____

NOTE: The Secretary of State of the State of Tennessee may not issue a certificate of authority to a foreign Limited Liability Company if its name does not comply with the requirements of § 48-207-101 of the Tennessee Limited Liability Company Act. If obtaining a certificate of authority under an assumed Limited Liability Company name, an application must be filed pursuant to § 48-207-101(d).

2. The state or country under whose law it is formed is: State of Indiana

3. The date of its organization is: 2/26/01 (must be month, day and year)

4. The complete street address (including zip code) of its principal office is:
7100 Eagle Crest Blvd., Evansville, IN 47715
Street City/State Zip Code

5. The complete street address (including the county and the zip code) of its registered office in Tennessee:
530 Gay Street, #600 Knoxville TN 37902
Street City/State County Zip Code

The name of its registered agent at that office is: C T Corporation System

6. The number of members at the date of filing See Attachment A

7. If the limited liability company commenced doing business in Tennessee prior to the approval of this application, the date of commencement (month, day and year) _____

NOTE: This application must be accompanied by a certificate of existence (or a document of similar import) duly authenticated by the Secretary of State or other official having custody of the Limited Liability Company records in the state or country under whose law it is organized. The certificate shall not bear a date of more than two (2) months prior to the date the application is filed in this state.

March 30, 2001
Signature Date

CEO
Signer's Capacity

OneStar Communications, LLC
Name of Limited Liability Company

[Signature]
Signature

Alan J. Powers, CEO
Name (typed or printed)

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment D

Financial Statements

The confidential Financial Statements of OneStar Communications, LLC are being filed under separate cover.

These documents demonstrate OneStar's financial ability to provide the proposed services. OneStar is a privately-held corporation and as such its Financial Statements are not public information, but rather constitute confidential and proprietary information. These Financial Statements are therefore submitted under seal. OneStar respectfully requests that this confidential information not be provided to any party other than members of staff who need to review the material for evaluation of applicant's fitness to provide service.

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment E

Biographies of Senior Executive Team

OneStar Communications, LLC
Resumes of Key Employees

Alan J. Powers, Chief Executive Officer

A graduate of Indiana University at Bloomington, Mr. Powers holds a B.S. in Accounting and is a Certified Public Accountant. He was previously a partner in the accounting firm of Harding, Shymanski & Company from 1969 to 1981.

From 1978 to 1990, Mr. Powers was part owner in the Godfather's Pizza Restaurants in Indiana, Ohio, and Tennessee.

In 1983, he entered the resale telephone business. Mr. Powers held the position of President of TeleMarketing Investments, Inc., which was a general partner of TeleMarketing Investments, Ltd. TeleMarketing Investments, Ltd. provided telecommunications service in six states including Ohio, Nebraska, South Dakota, Iowa, Pennsylvania and West Virginia. TeleMarketing Investments, Ltd. achieved sales of \$25 million and was sold to WorldCom's predecessor, LDDS, in 1992.

Mr. Powers also served as President of Rhode Management Corporation, which was a general partner of Providence TMC, Ltd. Providence TMC, Ltd. provided telecommunications service in the states of Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Connecticut. Providence TMC, Ltd. d/b/a TMC Long Distance became Telstar Communications, Inc. in 1992. Telstar Communications, Inc. has been known as OneStar Long Distance, Inc., since 1996.

Mr. Powers oversees all aspects of OneStar Long Distance with specific attention to the Legal, Regulatory, Accounting, Human Resources, Mergers and Acquisitions, and Business Development Departments.

Michael W. Hanus, President

A graduate of the University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee, Mr. Hanus holds a B.S. in Economics. He was a member of the Reserve Management Group for Sears, Roebuck & Company from 1972 to 1984. During his years of employment with Sears Roebuck & Company, Mr. Hanus' responsibilities included the areas of sales, marketing and retail management.

From 1984 to 1992, Mr. Hanus was employed by TeleMarketing Investments, Ltd., where he held the position of General Manager. He served in many capacities, including sales program development, marketing, management and networking. He was appointed President of Telstar Communications, Inc. in 1993, and continued in that position through Telstar's transition to OneStar Long Distance, Inc.

Mr. Hanus directly oversees the Network Operations and Operations Departments at OneStar Long Distance.

OneStar Communications, LLC
Resumes of Key Employees (Continued)

William R. Stapleton, Chief Operations Officer

Mr. Stapleton was educated at Syracuse University, The University of Pennsylvania, and MIT. He was a Captain in the United States Air Force.

Mr. Stapleton was employed by AT&T from 1961 to 1995. While there, he worked in several areas including sales, marketing, and senior management. Mr. Stapleton was involved with several important projects at AT&T including the effort to formalize AT&T's pricing strategies for several of its most competitive products in 1984 and the turn-around of AT&T's computer business in 1991. In 1995, he started his own consulting firm. In February 2000, Mr. Stapleton was appointed Executive Vice President of Business Management at OneStar Long Distance, Inc., In March 2001, Mr. Stapleton was appointed Chief Operations Officer at OneStar Long Distance.

Mr. Stapleton's responsibilities at OneStar Long Distance include coordinating the Operations and Mergers and Acquisitions Departments and directly overseeing the Marketing and Sales Departments.

Alan J. Powers, Michael W. Hanus, and William R. Stapleton are members of OneStar's Executive Committee.

Mark W. Powers, Executive Vice President

A graduate of the University of Southern Indiana, Mr. Powers holds a B.S. degree in Accounting and is a Certified Public Accountant. He served as Controller and Treasurer for Midwest Equipment & Supply Company and The Daviess County Farm Bureau from 1975 to 1988.

In 1988, Mr. Powers joined TeleMarketing Investments, Ltd. as Controller. In this position, he was responsible for the data processing and accounting matters. Mr. Powers was appointed Vice President and Treasurer of Telstar Communications, Inc. in 1993 and continued in that position through Telstar's transition to OneStar Long Distance, Inc.

Mr. Powers' responsibilities at OneStar include coordinating and directly overseeing the Revenue Assurance Department.

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment F

Small and Minority Owned Telecommunications
Business Participation Plan

(as presently on file with the TRA on behalf of OneStar Communications, LLC)

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment G

Dialing Parity Plan

OneStar Communications, Inc
IntraLATA Toll Dialing Parity Plan
For Tennessee

1. Purpose

The intent of this Plan is to provide a proposal that, upon implementation, would provide customers the ability to select the telecommunications carrier of their choice for routing their intraLATA toll calls.

OneStar utilizes the BellSouth network and will be following their established guidelines and procedures for implementation of intraLATA Parity of toll calls.

2. Implementation Date and Areas of Availability

Upon commencement of service, OneStar will offer 2-PIC service in all BellSouth states including Tennessee.

Availability in each exchange will be dependent on BellSouth.

3. Method of Selection Process and costs

OneStar will follow the 2-PIC strategy established by BellSouth. With the 2-PIC methodology, customers will be able to presubscribe to one telecommunications carrier for interLATA toll calls and presubscribe to the same or different carrier, including their existing local exchange company, for all intraLATA toll calls.

Existing Customers

OneStar employees will be trained to explain the process to customers for making PIC changes for intraLATA toll calls. They will be prepared to make changes in customer records based upon request from customers or carriers and direct customers to their chosen intraLATA carrier. Customers will remain with their current intraLATA carrier until they affirmatively choose an intraLATA toll carrier.

New Customers

Processes will be in place to provide new customers with an opportunity to choose their intraLATA toll carrier from a list of available carriers. Customers who do not choose a carrier for intraLATA toll calls will be identified as a "No-PIC" and will not be automatically defaulted to a carrier. Fees for PIC changes will be passed on to the customer at current pricing of \$1.49 for residential and business customers. No waiver will apply but customers will be able to change both interLATA and intraLATA PICs in the same transaction for no extra charge.

4. Customer Notifications

Customers will be advised the opportunity to choose an intraLATA toll carrier separate from their interLATA carrier at the time they place an order initiating service. They will also be advised that they may choose a carrier other than their local exchange carrier and that a list of available intraLATA toll carriers is available upon request from customer service. OneStar also believes that promotional material by other carriers will make customers aware of the choices available to them.

Cost Recovery

OneStar does not anticipate any charges from BellSouth to implement their Parity Plan and therefore will not be assessing the customer any additional charges.

Miscellaneous Items

Slamming - OneStar will be subject to rules relating to slamming as indicated in Tennessee Regulatory Authority Rule 1220-4-2-. 56, Sections (2) – (19) and 1220-4-2.58, Sections (1)-(16).

Nondiscriminatory Access – OneStar will follow the guidelines established by BellSouth for reseller customers as they relate to access of telephone numbers; operator assistance; directory assistance; and directory listings.

Rules – OneStar will fully comply with all rules and regulations set forth by the FCC and the TRA.

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment H

Pre-Filed Testimony

**BEFORE THE
TENNESSEE
TRANSPORTATION AND REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

In the matter of the Application of)
OneStar Communications, LLC)
for Authority to Provide) TRA Docket _____
Facilities-Based Competitive Local)
Exchange Telecommunications Services)

TESTIMONY OF AMI M. LARRISON
Director of Regulatory Affairs

1 **Q. Will you please state your name and business address.**

2 A. My name is Ami M. Larrison. My business address is 7100 Eagle Crest Boulevard,
3 Evansville, Indiana 47715. My telephone number is (812) 437-7790 and facsimile number is (812)
4 437-7988.

5
6 **Q. By whom are you employed and in what capacity?**

7 A. As the Director of Regulatory Affairs, I am responsible for all regulatory and external affairs
8 issues for OneStar Communications, LLC. I oversee the current state of regulatory issues for the
9 Company, as well as current rulings by the FCC and various state regulatory agencies. I also
10 supervise and support regulatory staff and the management team; monitor telecommunications and
11 government events and issues; develop departmental policies and procedures; coordinate department
12 regulatory responses and approve Company responses; and ensure compliance with rules and
13 regulations and Company standards.

14
15 **Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?**

16 A. The purpose of my testimony is to present evidence on the financial, technical and managerial
17 abilities of OneStar Communications, LLC, to provide local telecommunications services in
18 Tennessee, and to describe the services OneStar proposes to offer.

19
20 **Q. Has OneStar registered to do business in Tennessee?**

21 A. Yes. OneStar is an Indiana Company. Registration to conduct business in Tennessee is
22 provided in Attachment C of the application.

1 **Q. Has OneStar previously obtained authority in Tennessee?**

2 A. Yes. OneStar presently operates as a local and long distance reseller in Tennessee.

3

4 **Q. Please describe the services OneStar proposes to offer.**

5 A. OneStar proposes to offer local dial tone services to its customers which will be comparable
6 to and competitive with services offered by the incumbent local exchange carriers.

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8 **Q. How will OneStar bill for its services?**

9 A. OneStar's local services are billed directly by the company on a monthly basis. Fixed
10 monthly charges are billed monthly in advance, usage-sensitive charges will be billed in arrears.

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12 **Q. How are trouble reports, billing errors and complaints handled?**

13 A. Billing disputes will be reported by the customer via the toll free number, printed on the
14 Customer's monthly bill, Customer service disputes will be reported via the same 800 number. In
15 addition, Customers may contact the Company in writing at the headquarters address. OneStar
16 understands the importance of effective customer service for local service consumers.

17

18 **Q. Describe the proposed OneStar Tennessee tariff.**

19 A. Services included in OneStar's tariff include: Standard Local Service, PBX Trunk Service,
20 Direct Inward Dialing (DID) Service, Optional Calling Features, Listing Services, Directory
21 Assistance, Operator Services and Long Distance Services. Services are offered to both business and
22 residential customers twenty-four hours per day, seven days per week.

1 **Q. Where is OneStar currently certificated?**

2 A. OneStar, or its affiliate, OneStar Long Distance, Inc., is authorized to provide long
3 distance service in all states except AK. OneStar, or its affiliate, is authorized to provide local
4 exchange services in AL, CA, CT, DE, FL, GA, IN, IA, KY, ME, MA, MI, MN, NE, NH, NJ, NY,
5 OH, OR, PA, RI, TN, VT, VA, WA, WV and WI.

6
7 **Q. Describe OneStar's financial ability to operate as a local service provider.**

8 A. OneStar has ample resources for the successful provision of its telecommunications services.
9 We have provided financial information with our application which clearly demonstrate that OneStar
10 has ample cash flow and capital to expand into the facilities-based CLEC market in Tennessee.

11
12 **Q. Does OneStar have the managerial and technical qualifications to provide local service
13 in Tennessee?**

14 A. Yes. OneStar has an experienced management team. Resumes of key management staff are
15 provided as Attachment E of the Company's application.

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17 **Q. Where in Tennessee does OneStar intend to offer its services?**

18 A. OneStar intends to initially offer services in areas of the state served by BellSouth, but seeks
19 statewide authority for future applications.

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21 **Q. How will Tennessee consumers benefit from OneStar's services?**

22 A. Certification of OneStar will increase the level of competition in Tennessee. OneStar intends
23 to offer quality service at competitive prices. In addition, OneStar's marketing plan will expand
24 subscriber awareness of options and services available to them, thus encouraging the growth and
25 success of competitive services.

1 **Q. Why is OneStar seeking facilities-based authority in Tennessee? Will OneStar use any**
2 **public rights-of-way?**

3 A. Initially, OneStar plans to utilize the incumbent's Unbundled Network Elements Platform
4 (UNE-P). Since OneStar has no immediate plans to deploy cable, it does not foresee using public
5 rights-of-way in the next year. However, OneStar does want the Commission's consent to use public
6 rights-of-way pursuant to applicable laws for possible future installations.

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8 **Q. Does this conclude your testimony?**

9 A. Yes.

VERIFICATION

I, Ami M. Larrison, first being duly sworn upon oath, depose and say that I am Director of Regulatory Affairs for OneStar Communications, LLC, an Indiana Company; that I have read the above and foregoing prefiled testimony by me subscribed and know the contents thereof; that said contents are true in substance and in fact, except to those matters stated upon information and belief, and as to those, I believe same to be true.

Ami M. Larrison

Ami M. Larrison, Director of Regulatory Affairs
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State of INDIANA

County of Vanderburgh

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 9th day of October, 2002

Shirley Reed
Notary Public

My Commission expires: 2-22-08

OneStar Communications, LLC

Attachment I

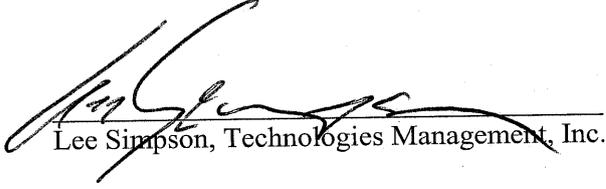
Proposed Tariff

*(The Company's current local exchange services tariff will initially support the
Company's UNE-P-based services)*

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Notice is given that on October 14th, 2002, OneStar Communications, LLC, filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority an Application for a Certificate to Provide Competing Local Telecommunications. A copy of this application is available for inspection at the Tennessee Regulatory Authority or by contacting Technologies Management, Inc., 210 North Park Avenue, Winter Park, FL 32789 for a copy of said application.

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